

LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER **COVID-19 UPDATE**

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FACTS			
Incident Type: Public Health Emergency			
First US Case: January 21, 2020		First LA County Case	e: January 26, 2020
Total Cases: 40,857 Cases Today: 1,324		Total Deaths: 1,970	Hospitalized(current): 1,531

	SITUATION AS OF May 2	0, 2020		
SITUATION SUMMARY:	The following public information is a high-level summary of events being managed by the Los Angeles County Emergency Operations Center tasked with the emergency response and coordination of Countywide resources to address the COVID-19 disaster. Please share this information with your family, fellow residents, municipal, state & community partners. • To receive regular updates, sign up for our GovDelivery distribution list here: https://bit.ly/2QE6khO			
PUBLIC HEALTH COVID-19 CASE COUNTS	COVID-19 CASE number of COVID-19 cases reported throughout the County.			
COUNTS	Source	Number of Cases	Deaths	
	Los Angeles County (excl. LB & Pas)	38,791	1,834	
	City of Long Beach	1,362	62	
	City of Pasadena	704	74	
	LA Co. Public Health (Total)	40,857	1,970	
	Confirmed Cases by Age Group			
	Los Angeles County (excl. LB & Pas)	Total Cases		
	0 – 17	1,524		
	18 – 40	13,660		
	41 – 65	15,663		
	Over 65	7.798		

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Under Investigation	146
Confirmed Cases - Public Safety	
Los Angeles County Fire Dept.	23
Los Angeles County Sheriff	189
To view Public Health's COVID-19 Surveillance Dashboard Click Here	

ROADMAP TO	Reopening Guidelines
RECOVERY	Beaches Bike Parks Car Dealerships Community Gardens Equestrians Centers Golf Courses Model Airplane Area Outdoor Shooting Facilities Retail Establishments Substance Use Disorder and Mental Health Tennis Pickleball Courts Trails
	Recovery Resources
	Roadmap to Recovery (Infographic) English Spanish Traditional Chinese Simplified Chinese Korean Tagalog Arabic Farsi Cambodian Russian Japanese Vietnamese
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	For more information on the Department of Public Health Recovery Click Here. For more information on Los Angeles County Recovery Click Here.
PUBLIC HEALTH	Health Officer Orders
RESOURCES:	 Safer at Home revised Order (5.13.20) Safer at Home – Physical Distancing Protocol (5.13.20) Safer at Home – Retail Establishments Opening for Curbside Pickup (5.13.20) Safer at Home – Warehousing, Manufacturing, and Logistics Establishments (5.13.20)
	Safer at Home
	Overview: (Updated 5/20) English (Translations Pending)
	Additional Resources & Information
	For additional things you can do to protect yourself, your family, and your community visit the Department of Public Health Website. • http://www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/
LOS ANGELES COUNTY HEALTH SERVICES &	For an update on the County healthcare system including data on available Hospital Beds, Ventilators, and Personal Protective Equipment visit the Department of Health Services COVID-19 Dashboard .
HEALTHCARE SYSTEM	 Los Angeles County COVID-19 Hospital Demand Modeling Projections Key Findings (5/20/20) The overall volume of hospital-based care for patients with COVID-19 appears generally stable or slightly down trending, consistent with prior predictions; It is not yet known what effect the relaxation of physical distancing requirements will have on transmission of COVID-19. If transmission increases, modeling predicts that an increase in patient volume at
	 healthcare facilities would occur after delay of approximately 2-4 weeks. The number of hospital beds, ICU beds, and ventilators in Los Angeles County appears adequate to meet the projected need for the care of

	additional COVID-19 patients ov	ver the next 4 weeks.	unless there is a	
	marked increase in transmission			
COVID-19	Testing is Prioritized for:			
TESTING	 Symptomatic persons with: Fever, Cough, Chills, Repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell. Asymptomatic persons: Persons over age 65 Those with a chronic medical condition Essential workers, which includes: janitorial, security, airport, government, health care, food and grocery, and more. This is in addition to testing of symptomatic and asymptomatic individuals in congregate institutional settings. 			
	Testing is Available	by Appointment or	nly	
	 Testing Information Schedule a Free COVID-19 Test Frequently Asked Questions 			
As of today, approximately 379,000 people in tested for COVID-19. 9% of people tested have			•	
COVID-19 RELATED MEDICAL SHELTERING	New medical sheltering operations are currently being explored. Wrap around services including transportation, food, laundry services and security services are available at each site. Current Medical Sheltering Locations:			
OPERATIONS	Location	Date Operational	Number of Clients	
	David L. Murphy	4/27	27*	
	David L. Murphy Mayfair Hotel	4/27	27* 27*	
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	Mayfair Hotel	4/2	27*	
	Mayfair Hotel MLK Recuperative Center	4/2 3/25	27* 15*	
	Mayfair Hotel MLK Recuperative Center Bell Gardens	4/2 3/25 4/8	27* 15* 64*	
	Mayfair Hotel MLK Recuperative Center Bell Gardens Westchester/LA	4/2 3/25 4/8 4/1	27* 15* 64* 3*	
	Mayfair Hotel MLK Recuperative Center Bell Gardens Westchester/LA Pomona Fairplex	4/2 3/25 4/8 4/1 3/25	27* 15* 64* 3* 57*	
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Los Angeles County has stood up temporary quarantine and isolation shelters to prevent the spread of COVID-19. These temporary shelters, using hotels and motels throughout the County, is for individuals who have been exposed to COVID-19 and must isolate and need assistance from the County to do so. Visit our website for more information on **Medical Sheltering** and for a list of Frequently asked Questions.

Project Roomkey:

Project Roomkey is a collaborative effort by the State, County, City of Los Angeles and the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) to secure hotel and motel rooms for vulnerable people experiencing homelessness, with a focus on seniors and individuals with existing health conditions. It provides a way for people who don't have a home to stay inside to prevent the spread of COVID19. The data reflected in this update does not reflect contracts pending final execution with hoteliers. Visit our website for more information on **Project Roomkey**

Project Roomkey Locations:

Service Planning Area (SPA)	Total Rooms	Date Operational	# of Rooms Occupied	# of Clients
Antelope Valley – 1	94	4/6/2020	90	99
South Bay – 1	60	4/8/2020	52	56
San Fernando Valley – 1	52	4/5/2020	48	58
San Gabriel Valley – 1	49	4/6/2020	43	55
San Fernando Valley – 2	74	4/5/2020	74	101
San Fernando Valley – 3	50	4/11/2020	45	47
West Los Angeles – 1	136	4/3/2020	129	135
East Los Angeles – 1	50	4/17/2020	44	52
San Gabriel Valley – 2	87	4/12/2020	74	86
Metro Los Angeles – 1	48	4/15/2020	46	54
Metro Los Angeles – 2	49	4/21/2020	45	47
San Gabriel Valley – 3	50	4/17/2020	42	50
South Bay – 2	100	4/16/2020	90	102
San Fernando Valley – 4	242	4/20/2020	241	299
South Bay – 4	97	4/23/2020	94	103
South Bay – 5	133	4/22/2020	128	138
South Los Angeles – 1	69	4/23/2020	67	75
San Fernando Valley – 5	52	4/28/2020	48	54
West Los Angeles – 2	47	4/24/2020	44	45
Metro Los Angeles – 3	60	4/18/2020	52	54
East Los Angeles – 3	210	5/7/2020	202	209
San Gabriel Valley – 5	115	4/28/2020	107	130

Metro Los Angeles – 4	35	4/30/2020	31	34
Metro Los Angeles – 5	52	4/29/2020	44	48
East Los Angeles – 4	120			
San Gabriel Valley – 6	121	5/14/2020	54	62
San Gabriel Valley – 7	129	5/14/2020	33	36
San Gabriel Valley – 8	156	5/18/2020	13	15
East Los Angeles – 5	99			
Metro Los Angeles – 6	467	5/11/2020	198	223
South Los Angeles - 2	39			
South Bay – 6	103			
Metro Lost Angeles – 7	92			
Metro Los Angeles – 8	177			
Overall Totals:	3,514		2,178	2,467

COMBATTING HUNGER:

The County of Los Angeles is committed to feeding our most vulnerable communities during the Coronavirus pandemic. We are mobilizing public agencies, nonprofits, and volunteers to provide meals to anyone in need during the long months to come. Visit https://covid19.lacounty.gov/food/ for more information.

- 211 food-related calls up 406% from March (2,851) to April (14,486)
- WDACS has experienced a 40% increase in senior meals provided since March
- DPSS reports a 130% increase in Cal Fresh applications since March
- PHFE reports a 20% increase in WIC applicants since March
- LA Regional Food Bank food distribution up 80% for period March/April relative to Jan/Feb.
- Access Services has completed 57,646 meal/grocery deliveries to seniors and people with disabilities across four current projects.
- Distributions to workers laid off or experiencing a decrease in work hours have ranged from 1,000 to 7,560 families served per distribution.
- LAUSD continues to provide "Grab & Go" nutritious meals to all students at 63 locations.

Military/Veteran Affairs is organizing a drive-thru food distribution for Veterans at Bob Hope Patriotic Hall parking Lot.

SENIOR CARE:

LA County and the City of Los Angeles are providing free meals to adults age 60 and older who are impacted by the COVID-19 crisis. Meals are provided at distribution sites or via home-delivered meals. View the map below for information about each site. Adults age 65 and older must send a family member, friend or caregiver who is under the age of 65 to pick up meals at their assigned site. Call **1-800-510-2020** to request services.

For a list of locations currently in the Los Angeles County Elder Nutrition Program Click Here.

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LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER	 Coordinating with County Reconstitution for advanced procurement planning. The CEOC has received approximately 1,075 unique requests that continue to be prioritized and processed. Donations Management is receiving and evaluating donation offers. For more information please visit https://doingbusiness.lacounty.gov/ Information Press Release on Economic Resiliency Task Force Sets Sight on July 4 Reopening Developing new Video Content and Public Service Announcements. Daily Press Conferences at 1PM on Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube For information regarding Los Angeles County's response to the COVID-19 pandemic visit our COVID-19 GIS Dashboards
PUBLIC SAFETY	The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
INFORMATION:	 For more Sheriff Department Coronavirus updates Click Here. Assisting with the scheduled reopening of Clerk's Office on June 15, 2020, and courtrooms on June 22, 2020. Working with local law enforcement Chiefs regarding ongoing traffic, parking and beach access issues. LASD will begin reallocating non-essential staff assigned to high visibility operations back to regular assignments for the reopening of some county services. The Los Angeles County Fire Department 23 County Fire staff currently tested positive for COVID-19, 18 staff are sick at home, and 19 returned to work. Managing Operations Multi-Agency Coordination System.
	Supporting staffing at the CEOC.
SCHOOLS:	LACOE:
ЗОПООСЭ.	 Posted the "Resources for Parent/Families" and "Resources for Educators" links which provide resources to parents, students and educators during school closures. For more information Click Here LAUSD: Continue to provide "Grab & Go" nutritious meals to all students at 63 locations. Continue the K-12 open enrollment application period through May 22, 2020. Open enrollment placement will be announced in early June. For more information access Click Here.
TRANSPORTATION	Amtrak:
	 Continue with enhanced cleaning protocols by cleaning commonly used surfaces in stations with EPA approved and CDC endorsed disinfectants. Customers are encouraged to arrive 30 minutes early. For more information Click Here. Metrolink: Continue to provide Metrolink Coronavirus response updates to customers. For more information Click Here.
	Metropolitan Transit Authority:

	 Continue to require all riders on buses and trains to wear face coverings until further notice. Continue to pursue a four-phase plan to restore bus and rail service. For more information Click Here.
PUBLIC SERVICES	Southern California Edison (SCE): Continue to assist customers who are having trouble paying their bill through the SCE Customer Contact Center to establish payment extensions or arrangements. For more information Click Here. Southern California Gas Company (So Cal Gas):
	 Customers are encouraged to avoid hazards and prevent pipeline damage by contacting Underground Service Alert by calling 811 before digging or gardening. For more information Click Here. AT&T:
	 Continue to support customers through June 30, 2020, by not terminating wireless, home phone, or broadband service and by waiving any late payment fees. For more information Click Here. Verizon Wireless:
	 As of May 18, 2020, wireless and broadband networks handled more than 218,000 terabytes (equates to 106 million hours of streaming content, 190 billion photo uploads or 38 million songs downloaded). Wireless networks have been able to meet the shifting demands of customers, businesses, and students. For more information Click Here.
CONTINUITY OF OPERATION PLANS: (COOP)	Continuity of Operations Plans ensure the County of Los Angeles continues to support the residents of this county during any type of disaster response. Below is a list of County Departments and their status as it pertains to the COVID-19 local health emergency:
	Agriculture/Weights and Measures: No updates provided today. For more information visit https://acwm.lacounty.gov/
	Alternate Public Defender (APD): Consulting with Superior Court and Justice partners to plan full reopening of courts. For more information visit http://apd.lacounty.gov/
	Animal Care and Control: Continue to support the releasing of animals through adoptions, foster programs, rescues, and redemptions. For more information visit https://animalcare.lacounty.gov/
	Arts and Culture: No updates provided today. For more information visit https://www.lacountyarts.org/digital-resource-center
	Assessor: Continuing essential public services, maintaining daily operations, focusing on the Assessment Roll, adding staff as DSWs, and tracking costs related to CCVID-19. For more information visit https://assessor.lacounty.gov/
	Auditor-Controller (A/C): 74% of staff are teleworking, 33 are Disaster Service Workers, and 4 are working critical assignments. For more information visit https://auditor.lacounty.gov/

Beaches and Harbors (B&H): 500+ people were observed along the tideline at the northern section of Dockweiler Beach yesterday and approximately 80% were not wearing face masks. Light crowds observed during the day at Redondo and Torrance beaches, most adhering to Health Orders. Venice reports approximately 150 people were observed at the beach yesterday and approximately 50% were not following Health Orders. Beach re-opening rules can be viewed on the web at https://beaches.lacounty.gov/la-county-beach-rules/.

Board of Supervisors (BOS): The next Board of Supervisors meeting will be on Tuesday, May 26, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. 75% of staff are teleworking, 27 staff volunteered for DSW assignments, 2 staff assigned to EOC/JIC. Evaluating workspaces and Board meeting room for social distancing needs, and working with the fire inspector to ensure appropriate storage requirements are met for sanitizers due to flammability. For more information visit https://bos.lacounty.gov/.

Chief Executive Office (CEO): 310 staff are teleworking, 80 work on-site, and 13 staff work as DSWs. Facilitating information sharing and collaboration with partners by supporting the JIC with logistical support and ensuring timely dissemination of information to staff. Disseminated survey to management regarding departmental recovery plan and strategies. Coordinating and developing strategies for departmental "Return to Steady", and Recovery plan. For more information visit https://ceo.lacounty.gov/

Child Support Services (CSS): 1,113 of staff are teleworking,13 assigned as DSWs, and 180 are working on-site. For more information call (866) 901-3212 or visit https://cssd.lacounty.gov/

Children and Family Services (DCFS): Conducting media interviews on impact of COVID-19 on child welfare agencies. 5,567 staff are teleworking and 2,107 are working on-site. For more information visit https://dcfs.lacounty.gov/coronavirus-covid-19-updates/

Consumer and Business Affairs: Participating in a webinar on Emergency Rental Assistance Program. Developing the "Stop Price Gouging" application that will allow shoppers to file complaints of suspected price gouging incidents. For more information visit https://dcba.lacounty.gov/

County Counsel: No updates provided today. For more information visit https://counsel.lacounty.gov/

Development Authority: No updates provided today. For more information visit https://wwwa.lacda.org/

District Attorney (DA): 1,066 staff are teleworking, and 623 staff are working on-site. For more information visit https://da.lacounty.gov/

Health Services (DHS): Continue the distribution Remdesivir to CA hospitals with COVID-19 patients. Assisting in the distribution of PPEs to hospitals, clinics, LACoFD, skilled nursing facilities and EMS. For more information visit http://dhs.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dhs

Internal Services: Modifying COVID-19 special cleaning Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) to align with CDC guidelines. Providing infrastructure support for drive-thru food bank event in Compton. Provided infrastructure set-up for 6 DPH PPE distribution sites. Performed 135 COVID-19 related special cleanings, including 73 deep and 62 enhanced cleanings. 1,193 staff are teleworking and 496 are working on-site. For more information please visit https://isd.lacounty.gov/

Medical Examiner-Coroner: Continue to provide COVID-19 testing on decedents who were suspected of Exposure. Monitoring mortuaries and funeral homes to provide surge capacity storage and provide equipment. 8% of staff are teleworking and 210 are working on-site. For more information please visit https://mec.lacounty.gov/2020/press-releases/coronavirus/

Mental Health (DMH): Clinical programs remain active to offer only essential functions necessary to prevent relapse and decompensation of our clients. DMH is working with ICD and Department of Health Services on surge planning and jail releases. The ACCESS call line experiencing increased call volumes with an average of over 400 calls per day, including the new LA County Employee Wellbeing Line and the LA County Emotional Support Volunteer Lines. The DMH school-based crisis (SBCAP) team continues to receive referrals and triage requests from schools. Submitted a proposal for the FEMA Crisis Counseling Grant (CCP) to CA DHCS. Working with CEOC partners on preliminary planning efforts for wildfire shelters. For more information call LACDMH's Help Line at (800) 854-7771 or visit https://dmh.lacounty.gov/.

Military/Veterans Affairs (MVA): Partnering with Veterans of Media and Entertainment to produce a monthly virtual benefits meeting. Organizing Memorial Day drive-thru food distribution for veterans at the American Legion Post 578. Partnering with the Women and Girls Initiative in recognition of the 100th anniversary of the Suffragette movement. For more information please visit https://mva.lacounty.gov/

Natural History Museum: No updates provided today. For more information visit https://nhm.org/update-nhmlacs-response-covid-19

Parks & Recreation: A total of 165 Disaster Service Worker's will serve as golf monitors, park monitors, and trail monitors 7-days a week to enforce social distancing. Over 180 directors and managers attended a countywide park agency coordination meeting to discuss Phase 2 of the re-opening of parks. Supervisorial District 1 Food Distribution scheduled at Azusa Pacific University. CEO-Homeless Initiative (CEO-HI) concluded that all available County funded Winter Shelter Program (WSP) sites are needed to address the shelter needs of PEH for Athens, Pamela, Steinmetz, and Bassett. Management Team met with

DPH to discuss proposed Medical Points of Dispensing (MPOD) sites in an event of an emergency. For more information please call (626) 588-5364 or visit https://parks.lacounty.gov/covid-19/

Probation: 844 staff are teleworking and 2,553 are working on-site. 350 youth in juvenile halls and 180 youth in juvenile camps. 38 youth are currently under medical observation or awaiting test results. A total of 196 youth have been tested for COVID-19 to date (111 are new admits; 85 from the general population). For more information https://probation.lacounty.gov/

Public Defender: Internal workgroups are preparing for gradual reopening of courts in June 2020. Continue to work with Courts and Justice Partners to evaluate safe and sustainable options for carrying out court operations. For more information visit https://pubdef.lacounty.gov/

Public Library: Exploring safe and efficient Curbside Communication Tools to communicate with customers via text message to facilitate seamless curbside pick-up process. Working on transportation plan to phase in book drop services to ensure materials get back to appropriate library locations. Workflow for Lobby Holds Service process has been completed. Prepped 1,000 kits for United Way to pick up and distribute for Project Roomkey. Processed a total of 30,797 new online card registrations. For more information please visit: https://lacountylibrary.org/coronavirus/

Public Social Services: Supporting the Emergency Food Security Taskforce with logistical support. Issuing additional CalFresh benefits up to the maximum allowed per family and allowing CalFresh recipients to purchase groceries online for delivery from Walmart and Amazon. 3,784 staff are teleworking and 5,924 are working on-site. For more please visit http://dpss.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dpss

Public Works (PW): Creating and posting signs to deter illegal sidewalk food vendors. 57% of staff are teleworking or on leave, 43% are working on-site. For more information visit https://dpw.lacounty.gov/general/Hotline.cfm

Regional Planning: 170 staff are teleworking, and 8 are DSWs. For more visit http://planning.lacounty.gov/

Registrar-Recorder/County-Clerk: Headquarters remains closed to the public. Signs are posted directing the public on how to obtain services. For more information visit https://lavote.net/

Treasurer-Tax Collector: Continue to work on taxpayer requests for penalty cancellation for those impacted by COVID-19. 38% of staff are teleworking and 48% are working on-site. For a list of frequently asked questions visit https://ttc.lacounty.gov/

WDACS: Continue to support Great Plates Program. Continuing with efforts in anti-hate, home delivered meals, emergency meal assistance, employer and

	worker assistance, and American Indian and Alaska Native assistance. Working on Economic Recovery BOS motion and will begin convening partners across industry, labor, and others to collaborate on all efforts related to economic recovery. For more information visit https://wdacs.lacounty.gov/covid-19/ For a complete list of County offices please visit: https://bit.ly/2WwfGQi
STATE PARTNERS	The California Department of Public Health (CPDH) revised the COVID-19 County Variance Attestation Form on May 18, 2020. As of today, 23 counties were approved by the State to reopen dine-in restaurants, outdoor museums, shopping centers, in-store retail, and office-based workplaces.
LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT:	All courtrooms will remain closed for judicial business through June 10, 2020, except time-sensitive, essential functions. To prepare for the resumption of court hearings beginning on June 22, 2020, the Clerk's Office will reopen on June 15, 2020. For more information Click Here.
AMERICAN RED CROSS	Continue to support the LAUSD food distribution program, which started on March 18, 2020. Offering the "Red Cross Ready", a free online education class to help prepare and respond to disasters, on May 21, 2020. For more information Click Here.
ACCESS SERVICES	Completed 57,646 meal/grocery deliveries to seniors and people with disabilities across four current projects. Implementing a sixth meal operation in partnership with the City of Los Angeles Department on Disability. For more information access https://accessla.org/home/
211 LA COUNTY	Continue to provide all Los Angeles County residents with updated information regarding COVID-19 response efforts. For more information Click Here.
LOS ANGELES REGIONAL FOOD BANK	Distributions to workers laid off or experiencing a decrease in work hours have ranged from 1,000 to 7,560 families served per distribution. For more information visit https://www.lafoodbank.org/

PROCLAMATION AND EMERGENCY DECLARATIONS

- Federal: National Emergency Declaration on March 13, 2020
- Federal: U.S. Small Business Administration Declaration on March 16, 2020
- Federal: Presidential Major Disaster Declaration, March 22, 2020
- Federal: President Trump signed the CARES Act into law on March 27,2020
- State: California State of Emergency Proclaimed on March 4, 2020
- County: LA County Proclamation of Local Emergency on March 4, 2020
- Cities: 86 proclaimed Local Emergency; 2 declared Local Health Emergency